REMARKS

Claims 1-8 and 10-16 were pending. By this amendment claims 8 and 10-13 are cancelled, leaving claims 1-7 and 14-16 pending.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the indication that claims 1-7 and 14-16 are allowed.

Claims 8 and 10-13 are rejected under 35 USC 102(d) as being anticipated by Onodera. These claims have been cancelled, making this rejection moot.

In the event the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determines that an extension and/or other relief is required, applicant petitions for any required relief including extensions of time and authorizes the Commissioner to charge the cost of such petitions and/or other fees due in connection with the filing of this document to Deposit Account No. 03-1952 referencing docket no. 325772014000.

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